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FIFTY-THIRD YEAR No. 38.

CEDARVILLE, OHIO, TUESDAY, AUGUST 29, 1930

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NEWS LETTER FROM STATE DEPARTMENTS

COLUMBUS, Ohio.—Receipts of the Corporation Division of the office of Secretary of State Clarence J. Brown for the eight months of the current year, totaled approximately \$950,000, which indicates that corporation fees will possibly total a million and a quarter dollars for 1930. Cashier Thomas L. Wood states that the largest fee during the regime of Secretary Brown, was received a few days ago for an increase of stock, the amount being \$50,000.

Large crowds are in attendance daily at the Ohio State Fair and Night Horse Show which is being held this week and numerous state exhibits are attracting the attention of the thousands of visitors. Twelve county and two independent fairs will have their openings next week as follows: Adams, Butler, Carroll, Crawford, Fulton, Huron, Lake, Montgomery, Stark, Union, Van Wert, Washington and Croton and Smyrna independent.

The state house grounds presents a handsome appearance at this time of the year in spite of the drought which the state has undergone. The grounds are well kept and the lawn, shrubbery, greenery and flowers are in splendid condition, due to the untiring efforts of Rodney McCullom, superintendent of executive buildings. "Red" or "Mac" as he is familiarly called by his acquaintances, seems to have an uncanny acumen in knowing just what to do to get the best results. He is making good with a vengeance and is a favorite with all state officials.

Nimrods over the state are polishing up their firearms and getting equipment ready for the onslaught of gray and red squirrels, the open season starting September 15 and lasting until October first. Only four may be taken in one day and the sale of the little rodents is unlawful. County Clerks, township clerks and others authorized to issue hunting licenses report a brisk business.

Ohio material where price and quality is the same is given preference in the proposed highway improvements for contract letting by State Highway Director Robert N. Wald on Tuesday, August 26. The director also announced that 603 detours have been necessary to carry on the improvements of the past few weeks, an indication that a vast amount of work is being done, which is giving employment to many thousands of men in the state and also providing work to many others in industries furnishing materials for both construction and maintenance. The engineer's estimate for the sale of work August 26, totals \$1,514,123.65.

Director of the State Department of Health Charles A. Neal, M. D., states that with every Ohio lake and stream at lowest known levels, wells failing and cisterns gone dry, contaminated water supplies constitute the greatest health menace and every one should be careful where and what they drink. If one must go abroad these droughty days, the pop bottle is less conducive to intestinal disturbances than the unmarked roadside well.

Mother and Son Killed in Accident

Mrs. Mary Louise Voller, 35, Chillicothe, and son, John, 3, met instant death at 12:30 last Saturday near the Samuel Andrews farm on the Xenia and Jamestown pike when their auto and that of James Stroud, 35, Xenia, hit head on.

J. W. Voller, 40, husband, a possible broken back and internal injuries are in a critical condition. Marie Pettiford, colored, a maid, sustained injuries that are not considered serious. Harlow, a six year old son of the Vollers, sustained cuts on the arm. James Stroud, injuries about the chest.

VOTES COSTS 48 CENTS

The primary election in Greene County cost \$5,290.23 which means that each of the 5,541 votes cast cost 48 cents each. The salary expense for judges and clerks in forty-eight precincts alone was \$2,453.30. Salaries were increased under the new election law.

McCLELLAN REUNION

The fifty-ninth annual family reunion and picnic for the McClellan family was held at Shawnee Park, Xenia, last Thursday. More than one hundred attended. Officers chosen for the coming year were: Robert McClellan, president; vice president, Roy McClellan; secretary and treasurer, Miss Marie Williamson.

Republicans Name Executive Group

Joseph B. Conklin, Xenia Twp., was re-elected chairman of the Greene County Republican Central Committee and Harry M. Smith, Fairfield, was selected as secretary when the G. O. P. committee re-organized at a dinner-meeting in Xenia, Thursday evening.

An executive committee, composed of the twenty-four members of the central committee and fifteen additional members, was also appointed. Personnel of the executive committee:

Harry R. Armstrong, Osborn R. R.; John H. Munger, Xenia, R. 7; H. M. Smith, Jamestown, R. 1; A. H. Cresswell, Cedarville, R. 2; A. B. Lewis, Jamestown, R. 3; E. Meredith, Yellow Springs, R. 1; Harry A. Hagler, Xenia, R. 3; F. C. Lackey, Cedarville, R. 3; John Q. Ross, Jamestown, R. 3; James Laurens, Xenia, R. 4; Walton Spahr, Xenia, R. 4; J. B. Conklin, Xenia, R. 1; W. W. Tate, Bellbrook; Herbert C. Fisher, Bowersville; H. C. Lewis, Cedarville; C. F. Snediker, Fairfield; C. W. Moorman, Jamestown; F. A. Kendig, Osborn; W. E. Crites, Spring Valley; George A. Donley, Yellow Springs; George H. McDonnell, Xenia, 77 Walnut St.; S. W. Guyton, Xenia, 105 W. Church St.; Joseph H. Adams, Xenia, E. Main St.; Everett Margaret A. Clark, Jamestown; Morris A. Roberts, Xenia, 1002 E. Market St.; Williamson, Sugar Creek Twp.; L. T. Marshall, Xenia; Edna Woodson, Wilberforce; W. S. Rogers, Xenia; Frederick Flynn, Xenia; Helen Dodds, Xenia; Allegra Hawes, Xenia; Grace B. Allen, Cedarville; Marcus McCallister, Xenia; James Adair, Xenia; Carl M. Ervin, Xenia; Karl Bab, Xenia; D. O. Jones, Xenia R. E.; Dr. K. L. Haines, Jamestown.

The Great Montgomery County Fair

Work of the various 4-H County Clubs will figure largely in the displays and special features of the Montgomery County Fair to be held at Dayton, September 1 to 4 inclusive, it is announced by Judge I. L. Holderman, Secretary-manager of the Fair.

Prominent among those will be the exhibition of 39 baby beef cattle, all western, Harford stock, which boys and girls of the county have been raising since January and have been an average have doubled in weight in the interim.

These cattle will be exhibited and graded, with each youngster adequately rewarded by prizes for his or her work, receiving in addition the profits made from the sale of the cattle.

Another new and unique feature of the county club work this year will be a parade of floats depicting the activities of the boys and girls, to be held in front of the grand stand at the conclusion of the races on September 3rd. The clubs in each township are combining in the building of their respective float and cash prizes will reward the winners. Also there will be a Style Show of the girls in Club work on Wednesday afternoon and evening.

The County Fair will be open day and night this year with a night racing card of super-excellence. Various attractions of interest and merit will intersperse the racing events, viz: Madam Humling's trained animal show, horses, ponies, dogs and bear.

A big State Conservation exhibit of wild animals, birds and game fish will be on exhibition free to the public. A Team Pulling contest will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday of Fair week, a Horse and Quail Pitching Contest beginning on Monday, and an Old Fiddlers' Contest on Thursday afternoon and evening.

Local Sportsman In Vandalla Shoot

Dan O'Connell, Cedarville, John Cyphers, Xenia and Chester Turner, Fairfield, were Greene county winners in the National Grand American Handicap shoot at Vandalla, last week. Cyphers and O'Connell each broke 90 out of 100 at nineteen yards. Turner, 78 at the same distance.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS VICTIM

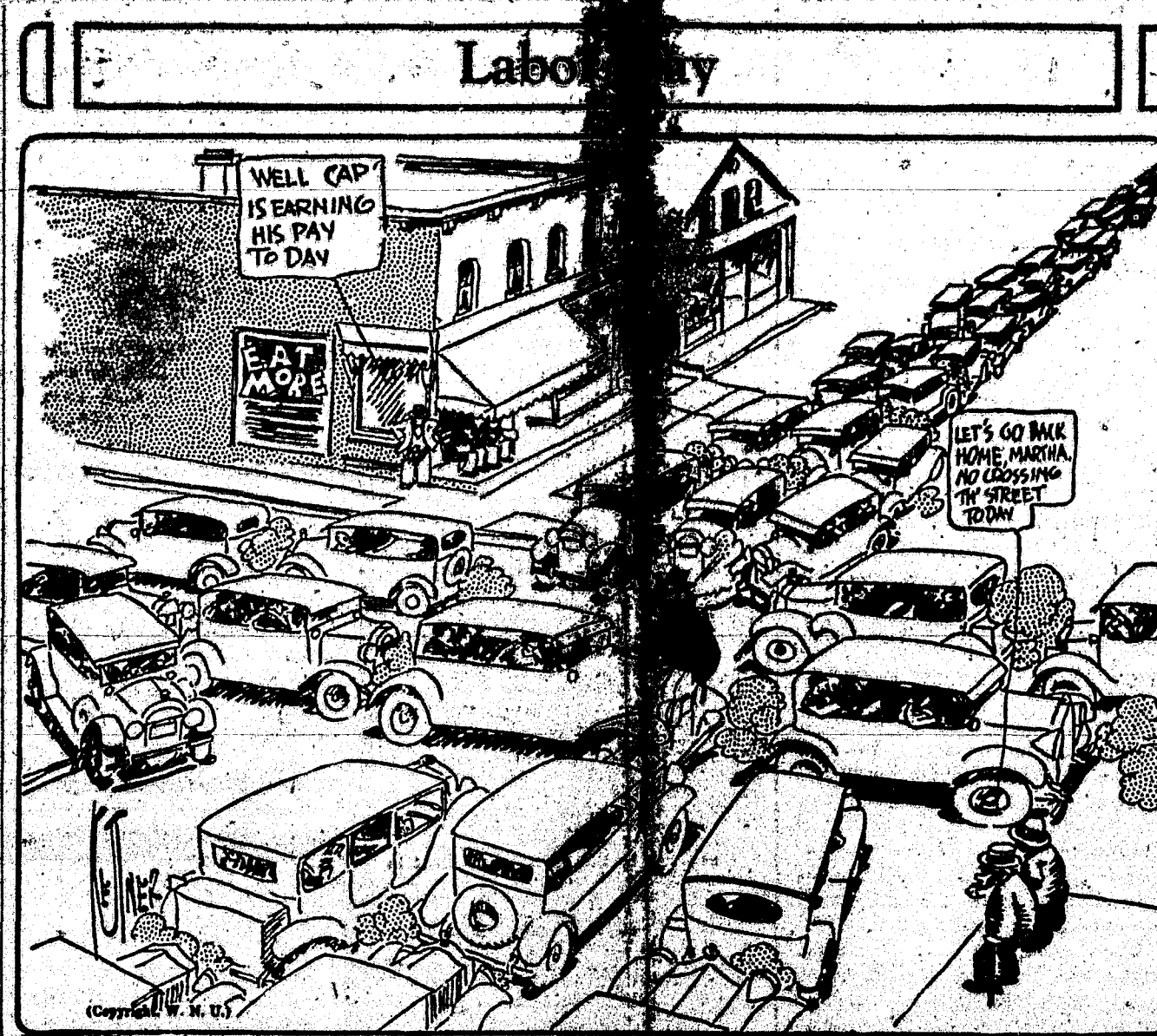
The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hammon has been stricken with infantile paralysis. As far as can be determined at this time the little fellow is improving.

TIE WON BY JONES

At the recent primary election a tie vote resulted between Mary Jones and Thomas Andrews for Democratic central committee in Cedarville Township. When lots were cast Mr. Jones was declared the winner.

CARD OF THANKS.—We desire to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many neighbors and friends for the floral offerings and many kind wishes shown during the sickness and death of Mabel Shingle-decker.

The Family.



JOHN CORRIGAN SHOT SUNDAY BY CHAS. FARLEY

John Corrigan, 45, who resided on the William Taylor farm near Grape Grove, was shot twice by Charles Farley, 45, because the former refused to give him a drink, according to statements made to Sheriff Ohmer Tate.

It is said that Corrigan was called from the house about five o'clock Sunday evening and was asked by Farley to give him a drink. When Corrigan informed Farley that he had no liquor he latter pulled a shot gun and fired the shot which struck in the limbs.

As just as he started for the house a second shot landed in his back. Farley drove away and the authorities were notified and at this time have not located him.

Corrigan was ordered removed to St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Dayton on order of Dr. R. L. Haines. Corrigan's three children were on the porch at the time and one was hit on the foot by stray shot. Sheriff Tate and Road Patrolman Davis searched the country roads until early Monday trying to locate a Ford sedan which Farley was driving.

Earlier in the day Farley had trouble with James Thompson, owner of the house in which the former lived. As they approached Thompson's house a revolver from his pocket but that Davis grabbed his arm before he could remove the weapon. Thompson was brought to the county jail and locked up.

Delinquent Taxes Are On Increase

County Auditor P. H. Cresswell announces on personal property and real estate increased about forty per cent over last year, a large part of the increase being in Xenia city.

The August settlement has been approved by the state auditor and checks will be mailed this week to the various taxing districts.

Miss Edna Mitchell Died In Dayton

Miss Edna Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mitchell, former residents of this place, died at her home in Dayton, Wednesday morning. She has been historian at the Miami Valley Hospital for several years.

The deceased is survived by her mother, Mrs. Ella Mitchell, two sisters, Miss Clara Mitchell and Miss Mabel Mitchell, New York City; and a brother, Fred Mitchell, at home. Funeral arrangements have not been announced at this time.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Church School at 10 A. M. Amos the Herdman, Prophet will be the lesson subject. Classes for all ages. Public Worship at 11. Subject "The Riches of God's Grace." This service is memory of those who have been called home the past two years. It is also the closing service of the Conference year and the doors of the church will be open for reception of members.

All reports should be in the hands of the pastor by Monday noon as Conference convenes at Oxford Tuesday at 2 P. M.

Golf Marathon Still Going Strong

An innovation for this section is the miniature golf marathon that started at 2 o'clock at the Mill Camp grounds, Monday.

There are three entries from Jamestown, one from Xenia and one from Cedarville. The first prize is \$50. The world's record is 19 hours, established at Piqua, Ohio, by entries by Howard Freed, Leo Gay and Robert Hopkins, Jamestown; Jack Tallinger, Xenia, and Martin B. Cedarville.

Under the rules the entrants play forty-five minutes and the fifteen minutes for eat or sleep provision has been made in a canteen at the site. The judges are Coach and William Nagley, the time is kept by the time and the latter.

Following the chapel session, pupils will go to their home rooms, where lessons will be assigned, pupils enrolled, and class schedules and lists of text-books given out. Regular class-work will begin Tuesday, September 2.

The book room will be open on Monday (September 1) from 10:00 to 12:00 in the forenoon and 1:00 to 4:00 in the afternoon. Also books will be on sale Tuesday. Pupils in the elementary grades will be given an opportunity to purchase books first, followed by the high school students.

Hailstorm Hits West Jefferson

Following the drought farm land in and around West Jefferson suffered one of the worst hail storms of recent years last Saturday. Corn was cut a ribbons rendering what there was of a crop to almost nothing. Hail covered the ground like a blanket of snow and remained for some time. The mercury dropped thirty degrees in fifteen minutes.

Friday, Press Day At Ohio State Fair

The annual Press Day at the Ohio State Fair will be observed Friday when newspaper representatives of the state will be entertained at luncheon and given the courtesies of the fair day and night. Newspaper headquarters will be in the Harrison building on the fair grounds. From four to five hundred newspaper men and women are expected to attend.

MRS. BOOLMAN DEAD

Mrs. Mary E. Boolman, Clifton, died at her home Monday morning after a long illness. The funeral was held from the home Wednesday with burial in Clifton cemetery.

L. F. Tindall, cashier of The Exchange Bank, is taking a two weeks vacation from his duties.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brown entertained Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cornelius of Wolcottville, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Grim of Ft. Wayne, Ind., Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Brown and son, Robert, of Danfance, in their home this week.

The Men's Bible class of the M. E. church sponsored a social Monday evening at the church honoring Mr. T. V. Hill, who was celebrating his 28th birthday. There was a program of speeches and music. During the evening refreshments were served.

FOR SALE.—Medium, 1921 at the college. Murray Marshall.

CEDARVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OPEN SEPT. 1

The Cedarville Public Schools will open Monday, September 1st at 9:00 A. M. and remain in session until 11:30 A. M., dismissing in time for all children to be home at noon. All school buses will run on their regular routes. No school in the afternoon.

At this opening session, chapel exercises will be held with music, speaking and introduction of teachers. R. W. R. McChesney, president of Cedarville College, will address the students and parents.

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A statement will be issued with each purchase made. Parents who desire may request a statement of the cost of books before being purchased. Parents are urged to come with children who are too small to be responsible for the handling of money.

Absolutely no books will be sold on time unless a written request is presented and signed by the parent or guardian. The date that payment will be made must also be included.

Pupils desiring to sell used books may leave them at the book room with the prices wanted marked on the cover page. As soon as they are sold the original owners will be paid.

No used books will be taken in exchange unless the regular stock is exhausted. It is suggested, where it is possible, that pupils arrange for the selling of their own books instead of leaving them at the book room.

(Signed)
BOARD OF EDUCATION
By H. D. Furst, Supt.

10,000 Automobiles and 50,000 People

It is said parking arrangements are being made for 10,000 automobiles and a natural amphitheater for 50,000 people will be available for the historical pageant and sham battle to be held at the Ohio Memorial sesqui-centennial at Springfield on October 9 and 10. There will be plenty of room for the Indian races and the erection of the Indian village with a hill centrally located on which the fort can be erected.

APPLICATION APPROVED

Application filed in Probate Court by Melvin Rumbaugh and J. H. Brickel, as administrators of the estate of D. A. Brickel, deceased, for authority to sell certain property at private sale, has been given court approval.

FOR SALE.—Underwood Typewriter No. 5—good as new. Priced right. Larry Waddle.

COURT NEWS

PARTITION SUIT

Melvin Rumbaugh has brought suit for partition of real estate in Jamestown and claims a one twenty-second share, naming other heirs as defendants. Marcus McCallister, attorney.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE

Mabel L. Graham, Cedarville, has brought suit for divorce from her husband, Charles Graham, on grounds of extreme cruelty. They were married in 1909 and have one daughter, Louise, 10. The plaintiff alleges defendant knocked her down, obtained a revolver and threatened her, and compelled her to return to her mother's home. She asks for the custody of the child and division of property with alimony and attorney fees.

CHARGES GROSS NEGLIGENCE

Jeanette Townsley has brought suit for divorce from Everett Townsley to whom she was married in 1928. They have one daughter, Betty, aged 18 months. Custody of the child and allowance for maintenance is asked.

ASKS \$25,000 DAMAGES

Mrs. Donna M. Harvey who was granted a divorce from her husband, Welcome D. Harvey, last month, has filed a suit for \$25,000 damages alleging alienation of the affections of her husband, who is employed as foreman in the Henrie tin shop in Xenia. The plaintiff charges her husband went to places of amusement and once to Columbus with Mrs. Henrie. Her home was broken up and it was necessary for her to secure a divorce from Harvey. F. L. Johnson, attorney.

FORECLOSURE ASKED

The Home Building and Savings Co. is plaintiff in a foreclosure suit filed in Common Pleas Court against Lewis Devoe and the following heirs of the defendant's wife, Emma, deceased: Fred, Nancy, James, Adna, Clifford and Emma Devoe; Hattie Leach and Carl Leach, Lydia Bales and Claude Bales, Zora Brickle and Homer Brickle, Ida Faulkner and Samuel Faulkner; Gladys Devoe and Chas. Richard and Joseph Devoe, the last three being minors under 14 years of age.

The plaintiff sets forth that \$430.15 alleged due on note, bearing interest at 6 per cent, was not paid.

NOTE JUDGMENTS

The Exchange Bank at Cedarville has recovered a cognovit note judgment for \$1,550.77 against Frank Denney, Grace Denney and William Denney in Common Pleas Court.

The court awarded John T. Harbison, Jr., a cognovit note judgment for \$134.75 against Roy E. Hutchinson, Ella Hutchinson and H. R. Hawkins.

PETITION DISMISSED

On the grounds the plaintiff has no title to and is not entitled to possession of property described in the petition, the suit filed by E. W. Smith against James Graham and others in Common Pleas Court has been ordered dismissed with the defendant's title to the premises forever quieted against claims of the plaintiff. The plaintiff gave notice of appeal from the decision.

HEARING SET

Application filed by the village council of Jamestown, seeking approval of Common Pleas Court in connection with the proposed transfer of \$3,000 from the sinking fund to the general fund to finance purchase of fire equipment, has been assigned for a hearing September 1.

NAMED EXECUTRIX

Emma J. Goldstone has been appointed executrix of the estate of Rhoda C. Ferguson, late of Xenia city, without bond in Probate Court.

ALLEGES CONSPIRACY

Conspiracy to defraud the collection of a judgment is charged in a suit filed in Common Pleas Court by H. R. Kendig against Joseph P. Swartley, J. B. Swartley and Edith L. Swartley.

Kendig asserts he recovered a judgment for \$1,353.10 against J. B. and Edith L. Swartley in Common Pleas Court March 27. Later, the petition recites, real estate owned by J. B. Swartley, other than property mentioned in the petition and on which the Home Building Building and Savings Co., Xenia, had a mortgage lien, was sold but failed to bring any amount to be credited on the plaintiff's claim, leaving the judgment still unpaid.

At the time the petition was filed, the plaintiff claims J. B. Swartley owned other real estate situated in Osborn and that for the purpose of evading his creditors, he conveyed the property to the defendant, J. P. Swartley, entirely without consideration, last January 22.

Declaring that Joseph P. Swartley now has the legal title to the real estate, which, in fact, belongs to J. B. Swartley, the plaintiff asks the court to set aside the deed and seeks equitable relief. Miller and Finney are attorneys for the plaintiff.

CHAS. WILLIAMS FOUND DEAD UNDER AUTO

Charles Williams, 50, Jamestown, was instantly killed when the touring car he was driving upset in a ditch near the John Spahr home on the Jamestown pike about 2:30 last Saturday morning.

Russell Carter, 28, Jamestown, brother-in-law of Williams, was asleep in the rear seat when the car overturned and when he awoke he found himself beneath the overturned car. He escaped serious injury and called aid from nearby neighbors and a passerby and extracted the body of Williams, who had suffered a broken neck and back, crushed by the back of the front seat.

According to a story related by Carter, he said Williams gave him a drink and took one himself before they left Jamestown. Upon arriving here they spent about an hour about town before going to the home of Oscar Melton, colored. Carter said Williams and Melton were in an adjoining room about ten minutes. It was about eleven o'clock when they started back to Jamestown. Carter asked Williams to drive the car and he got in the back seat and fell asleep, not knowing anything until he found himself under the car.

Williams is survived by his widow, and three children, Mrs. Archie Meno, Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Donald Taylor, Cedarville, and Miss Una Catherine, at home.

Marshall Baughn of Jamestown and Dr. R. L. Haines, investigated the case.

Water and Sewer Plant Near Completion

Council met Tuesday evening at which time ordinances were passed for the assessments of the cost of the water and sewer system on property in town. The assessments will be made up by Engineer Collins Wright and placed in the hands of Clerk J. G. McCorkell by the first of September. Property owners will be given thirty days to pay cash if they desire, if not they will be assessed. The assessment will be made each year with their taxes as has been done for the paved street. The cost of the water system will be in ten installments and the sewer in ten installments.

The Pittsburgh Des Moines Company, contractors, now have the contract completed other than finishing part of the East side of Main street and the West side of Main from the square to the railroad.

W. A. Spencer Retires Saturday, August 30

After a service of twenty-eight years and eleven months W. A. Spencer retires as a rural mail carrier. He is the oldest carrier in the county in the point of service and there are less than a hundred in the United States who have served as long or longer.

During 25 years of service Mr. Spencer did not miss a single day except during his annual vacation and not over three or four days was he unable to make at least part of his trip owing to weather conditions.

This has been an unusual record and we are sure the many patrons Mr. Spencer has served in the past so faithfully will rejoice with him in pointing to such a record.

Capper Medals To Two Greene County Girls

Sen. Arthur Capper of Kansas offered two silver and bronze medals to two 4-H club girls who enter Greene county's best jars of home canned fruits, vegetables and meats in the National Canning contest at Shamosh, Iowa, where the contest is being held under the auspices of the House-hold Science Institute.

RIGHT ARM BROKEN

W. S. Henderson, well driller, suffered a broken arm several days ago while attempting to crank a Ford truck. As a result he is compelled to carry his arm in a sling.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Bible School at 10:00 A. M. "The Message of an Old Testament Prophet to our Modern Times."

Worship Service at 11:00 A. M. Sermon subject: "Living as Though There was a God."

One cannot make a better investment of time than by being present at both these services.

NOTICE

Members of the United Presbyterian choir are requested to be present for practice at the church Saturday evening. This announcement is important.



Cast Off—

Each year, each month, each day, yes, each hour we are, as a community, embarking on a voyage---but whither?

With pride in our community as a pilot, we will still steer straight and true along the course of progress, and arrive without mishap in the port of greater prosperity for all.

To make the returns of our voyage all that they should be, each and every one of us must not feel that pride in our community, we must act it. Do with our hands and brains, our daily tasks so carefully and so thoroughly that our community may be proud of us.

OUR INTEREST IN THE WELFARE OF THIS COMMUNITY PROMPTS US TO SPONSOR THIS MESSAGE TO THE PEOPLE OF CEDARVILLE AND VICINITY

O. P. Elias
E. E. Neal
C. E. Smith
C. E. Masters
Cedarville Bakery
Richards' Drug Store
Hilltop Service Station
A. E. Huey Hardware Co.
Jean Patton Ford Agency

V. Rigio
C. H. Crouse
W. W. Troute
Cedar Inn
I. C. Davis
Karlh Bull
H. H. Brown
M. C. Nagley
Robt. Bird & Sons Co.

E. A. Allen
W. C. Iliff
James Bailey
W. L. Clemans
Old Mill Camp
Ralph Wolford
Cedarville Lumber Co.
Cedarville Telephone Co.
Hagar Straw Board & Paper Co.
by WILSON GALLOWAY, Mgr.

H. W. Evans
Geo. A. Martindale
Home Clothing Co.
The Exchange Bank
by L. F. TINDALL, Cashier
Miron I. Marsh, M. D.
McMillan Funeral Home
Hugh C. Schick, M. D.
Leo Anderson

The Cedarville Community Club

Cedarville's major project --- Waterworks and Sewerage Systems are nearing completion, both Civic improvements